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Determination of Non-Significance

Name of Proposal:

Dolder Farm LLC Drainage Maintenance Project

Description of Proposal:

Dolder Farm LLC, which grows row crops and hay on a 122-acre farm in the Snoqualmie Valley, is the applicant for this project. The King County Agricultural Drainage Assistance Program (ADAP) is assisting the applicant with obtaining the necessary permits. The proposed project will include the removal of accumulated sediment from a 380-foot segment of a watercourse. The applicant also proposes to remove a misaligned and clogged 190-foot long, 8-inch diameter pipe. The SEPA checklist identifies and analyzes alternative actions, the details of which are still under consideration: the existing pipe may be replaced with a similarly sized or slightly larger pipe, or the channel may be day-lighted. If the channel is day-lighted, there will be a crossing provided to access agricultural fields, and there may be a section of pipe placed at the inlet of the day-lighted channel to control the amount of water entering the channel.

Location of Proposal:

The project site is located on farmland at 2109 Fall City-Carnation Road NE (parcel number 2825079006), approximately 0.6 mile south of Carnation. The farm is in the northeast quarter of Section 28, Township 25 North, Range 7 East, Willamette Meridian. The map location is Thomas Brothers page 569, grid D3.

Responsible Official:

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King County Water and Land Resources Division has determined that none of the alternative designs for this proposal is likely to have a significant adverse impact on the environment. An Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is not required under Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. THIS INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC ON REQUEST (for a nominal photocopying fee). The checklist can be found on the King County website at http://www.kingcounty.gov/wlr.

THIS DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE (DNS) is issued under Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal until after **Thursday**, **July 16**, **2009**. Comments must be submitted or postmarked by that date.

For additional information, please contact:

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